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YE OLDEN TYME CONCERT

**Draws a Large Audience
that is Royally En-
tertained.**

Ye Olden Tyme Concert, given under the auspices of the ladies of the Presbyterian Church, has come and gone, but it will be cherished as a sweet memory by the splendid audience which saw it long after the C. C. & M. railroad has been built into Deming.

Coming from Arkansas, the editor of The Graphic felt as if he were mentally as well as physically prepared to appreciate and view impartially an entertainment presented by home talent, and we will have to frankly admit, although backed up by the matured knowledge and training obtained in that glorious state, that we were like a feather in a gentle zephyr and with the balance of the enthralled audience was carried off our feet by the happy success of the entertainment. In other words Deming has talent she may well feel proud of.

Nothing would be more pleasing to us than to give the program in detail, as each number is due and richly deserves special mention, but as the space at our command forbids, let it suffice to say that we never saw a more creditable and harmonious, and we might add, charming, entertainment carried out than was that of "Ye Olden Tyme Concert," and all who took part in it or were instrumental in getting it up should assuredly feel proud of the commendatory result.

The costumes worn were elaborate, unique and very appropriate and carried us back "beyond the days of youth, where everything that was was truth," to the "olden, golden days."

It is not hyperbole to say that the audience was transfixed in one happy, sun-lit sphere of joy and pleasure from the introductory number to the last act, when performers and spectators together joined in that grand, soul-stirring song, "America," and amid a blaze of glory brought the entertainment to a beautiful close.

The receipts amounted to some \$125.

Pat Moran left Monday night for New York on a pleasure trip.

The hospital fund day has been changed to a week later, May 29th.

PAINTS, OILS, BRUSHES.

CRESCENT LUMBER CO.
Mrs. Alice Smith has been called to Phoenix, Ariz., on account of the serious illness of her sister.

Dr. J. G. Moir left Wednesday on his eastern trip. He expects to be away some two months or more. Anyhow, he will not come back until he has had a glorious time fishing.

Eleven Cent Oil.

To the Luna County Farmers' Protective and Social Union:
Being appointed by your honorable chairman as a committee to investigate and procure prices on carload lots of Engine Naptha, I beg leave to submit the following, and ask every member of the Union to be present on Saturday, May 22, next, to act on the same:

The Texas Oil Co. quoted us naptha at eleven cents per gallon, F. O. B., Deming, N. M.; they will also furnish us room in their yard immediately on the switch for the erection of a tank in which to store said oil, and, at any time they see fit to put in their own tanks for handling in carload lots themselves, will take our tank, allowing reasonable discount for wear on same.

The Continental Oil people will either forward me a proposition, or send a representative to attend our meeting on next Saturday.

Now, if you are in any way interested in this oil proposition, turn out in force, and let us show to these companies that we are in earnest, and propose to develop the farming interests of Luna county by the pumping of water for irrigation.

Respectfully submitted,
B. P. SHULL,
Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Kerr are in from the ranch for a short visit.

Capt. J. W. Foster leaves shortly on a business trip to Riverside, Cal.

Court this week is making the town take on a livelier appearance.

While J. F. Wilson is still confined to his home, we are pleased to learn he is improving.

If it's Building Material, see us.

CRESCENT LUMBER CO.

Bert Smith, Santa Fe ticket clerk here, has gone to El Paso to enter railroad work there.

The Texas Oil Co. will have their station here pretty well finished up in another week.

Mrs. A. A. Temke returned Monday night from Las Cruces to the delight of her many friends.

Tally Cook, the popular young Santa Fe brakeman, is taking a layoff from his run.

The Alumni Association of the Deming High School will give their annual banquet at the Harvey House next Wednesday night, May 26th.

Dr. and Mrs. Coleman, who formerly lived in Deming, are in the city from their home in Socorro county for a visit with relatives and old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bardin have a fine boy at their home—their first born. "Shorty" in consequence is adrift on the sea of joy and is apt to lose his bearings.

Mrs. J. T. Clayton returned Monday from Tucson, where she has been enjoying a pleasant visit of several weeks' duration with her mother, Mrs. H. J. Hendricks.

DISTRICT COURT IN SESSION

**The Regular Spring Term
Convened Last
Monday.**

The regular spring term of district court opened up in Deming last Monday, although the actual work of the juries did not start off till Tuesday. Judge Frank W. Parker was in his regular position on the bench, District Clerk Wm. F. Martin and District Attorney A. W. Pollard were found at their respective posts, and Mrs. A. A. Temke, the court's efficient official stenographer, was present. The usual array of legal talent and spectators was in evidence.

The following cases have been disposed of up to our press hour: Omeda C. Carpenter, nol pros. Jas. Fielder, nol pros.

Herman Wallis, theft of goats, guilty.

The Hopper case, on a change of venue from Sierra county, is being tried as we go to press.

Up to press time the grand jury had returned 9 bills.

Following are the jurors:

GRAND JURY.

J. J. Bennett, Foreman.
Geo. Anderson.
J. A. Kealey.
G. W. Jackson.
Chas. Harrison.
F. P. Bishop.
F. E. Meister.
W. W. Crawford.
Elbert Edens.
H. C. Brown.
Wm. Howard.
W. Leffler.
J. T. Clayton.
Dan Hathaway.
Richard Flahive.
C. L. Baker.
J. W. McCurry.
E. F. Atkins.
Grundy Blevins.
Geo. W. McCann.
A. J. Clossin.

PETIT JURY.

O. J. Durand.
J. M. Barrack.
J. G. Harris.
R. Richter.
E. S. Gorman.
C. F. Berry.
Henry Birchfield.
Tally Cook.
R. A. Lewis.
J. J. Jeffers.
Frank Phillips.
Joe Belch.
Geo. A. Beach.
M. H. Hon.
J. C. Cunningham.
W. T. Harris.
Chas. Hughes.
Van Ragdale.
Ben Larson.
E. J. Carakadon.
W. H. Jennings.
A. P. Webb.
A. L. Frisbie.



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Deming, N. M.

Hon. Ralph C. Ely has returned from Faywood, where he has been for a number of weeks undergoing treatment for rheumatism. His many friends will be gratified to learn he returns home greatly improved. He has moved his family to town from his farm home a short distance northeast of the city, which he recently sold, and is occupying Mrs. J. G. Clark's handsome new cement block residence.

Studebaker Wagons

JOHN DEERE PLOWS

**Farming Implements
of all kinds.**

J. A. MAHOHEY

Lives in Paradise but Weds.

Geo. C. Coryell and Miss Susan Wilson, both of Paradise, Ariz., were married in Deming Monday, Judge L. L. Browning officiating. Mrs. Coryell at one time lived in Deming and old friends here extend congratulations.

Frank Whitehouse has returned from Douglas.

Ed Kimmick was down from the river Saturday.

W. B. King is in from the ranch for a short stay with friends.

Quite a bunch of the gallant knights of the range in town this week.

H. H. Wrinkle is finishing up a neat home on his claim a few miles southeast of town.

A big barbecue was held at Columbus last Saturday. Quite a few from here attended.

R. E. Inmon, a leading stockman of Hermatas, was in the city Saturday buying supplies.

Almost Fly-Time: are your screens up?

CRESCENT LUMBER CO.

Mrs. J. W. Gill has gone to Abilene, Tex., to enjoy a several months' visit with relatives.

W. P. Boyd is building a neat home in the south part of town. Edwards & Luxton are doing the work.

FOR SALE—500 head of Angora does for sale. W. E. MAY, Deming, N. M.

Bud Williams and Jas. Todhunter, two of our leading stockmen, were with us this week.

Rev. E. E. Willis left Monday for Silver City to enter upon the work of organizing a Christian Church in that city.

J. C. Roseborough, of the New Mexico Land & Locating Co., has returned to the city from a several weeks' stay at Las Cruces.

FOR SALE—Brand new, standard make piano. It is going at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

J. L. Searcy and C. G. Knight, of the New Mexico Land & Trust Co., of Nara Visa, were in the city Monday. They informed us they would probably locate here in the near future.

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Change of Managers.

J. A. Gillies, who has been manager of the Harvey House in Deming for a short time, leaves tonight with his wife for Albuquerque, where he will take charge of the Harvey House there. He is succeeded by a Mr. Willett, of the Grand Canyon, Ariz. Supt. John Stein and Auditor J. C. Brown, of the Harvey system, were here this week from Las Vegas checking in the new manager.

Fred Pennington paid his parents and friends a short visit this week.

Jim Gaar has returned from a protracted visit to his old home in the east. His friends are pleased to note his return.

House for rent. See Dr. Steed.

C. F. Berry, the ex-lumber king of Hondale, did a commendable and far-reaching act Tuesday by enrolling for The Graphic.

Diamond M. Flour.

S. G. Boyd & Co. are receiving a carload of the famous Diamond M. Flour.

The S. P. has put on a rate of \$6.00 a ton on hay to Deming from the Imperial valley. This will be appreciated by our stockmen, who are buying hay quite heavily on account of the drouth.

Stiff Breeze at Faywood.

A hard wind struck Faywood Thursday of last week and careened the porch on the hotel there. A patient named Fred Mast, of El Paso, who was sitting on the veranda at the time, was removed off on the green sward but escaped being injured. However, Mr. Mast is badly afflicted with rheumatism and the sudden jolt he received caused him no little pain and made him realize, pointedly, that it was no "hot air" explosion through which he had passed. It is a rare thing for the wind to play such pranks in this country but in this instance the damage done was slight.

A. W. Pollard's beautiful new home is rapidly nearing completion.

G. W. McSherry and brother Dan, were in from the river Saturday.

LOST—A cuff button, between the Wilden Hotel and Mrs. John Warren's. The button is solid gold set with pearls. Suitable reward for return to this office.

The Teachers' Institute will be held in Deming for three weeks, beginning May 31. It will be conducted by Prof. J. H. Clark, one of the county's most popular and efficient teachers.

A. L. Sangre

C. L. Baker

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